

REMARKS

This is in full and timely response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 13, 2004. Reexamination in light of the amendments and the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Claims 22-28, 31-37 and 40-52 are currently pending in this application, with claims 22, 32 and 41 being independent. No new matter has been added.

Acknowledgement of the receipt and entry of the substitute specification filed on July 3, 2002 is respectfully requested, which has been amended hereinabove by correcting typographical errors therein.

Appreciation is expressed for the a paper mailed on May 10, 2004 noting the withdrawal of the Final Office Action of February 13, 2004 and the entry of the Amendment After Final Action (37 C.F.R. Section 1.116) of April 13, 2003.

If the Examiner has any comments or suggestions that could place this application in even better form, the Examiner is requested to telephone Brian K. Dutton, Reg. No. 47,255, at 202-955-8753 or the undersigned attorney at the below-listed number. If any fee is required or any overpayment made, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee or credit the overpayment to Deposit Account # 18-0013.

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Respectfully submitted,

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